

AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS

1. (Presently Presented) A door for at least partially covering a doorway defined by a wall and a lower surface, comprising:

a first door panel adapted to laterally translate along a plane relative to the doorway between a doorway blocking position and an unblocking position;

a first seal including a first sealing surface interposed between a first attachment end and a first distal end with the first attachment end being attached to the first door panel, wherein the first sealing surface faces the plane; and

a second seal disposed to allow relative movement between the first seal and the second seal, the second seal including a second sealing surface interposed between a second attachment end and a second distal end, such that the first door panel in the doorway blocking position causes the first sealing surface to face the second sealing surface and positions the second distal end between the first distal end and at least one of the first door panel and the first attachment end.

2. (Original) The door of claim 1, wherein at least one of the first sealing surface and the second sealing surface is tilted relative to the plane.

3. (Canceled without prejudice)

4. (Original) The door of claim 1, further comprising an actuation system coupled to the first door panel for laterally translating the first door panel relative to the doorway between the doorway blocking position and the unblocking position.

5. (Original) The door of claim 4, wherein the actuation system includes an overhead track surface adapted to be mounted adjacent the doorway and being substantially linear and inclined with the first door panel being suspended therefrom.

6. (Original) The door of claim 1, wherein the second seal is adapted to be substantially fixed relative to the doorway.

7. (Original) The door of claim 1, wherein at least one of the first seal and the second seal is of a flexible material, so that with the first door panel in the doorway blocking position the first seal and the second seal stay in contact with each other even with some limited relative movement therebetween.

8. (Original) The door of claim 7, wherein the first sealing surface engaging the second sealing surface creates a compressive force therebetween that in conjunction with the flexible material provides stored energy for enhanced sealing.

9. (Original) The door of claim 1, wherein the first sealing surface engaging the second sealing surface creates a compressive force therebetween that helps align the first seal to the second seal.

10. (Original) The door of claim 1, wherein the first seal comprises a first unitary piece of resilient foam and the second seal comprises a second unitary piece of resilient foam.

11. (Original) The door of claim 1, wherein the first seal and the second seal have substantially similar cross-sectional profiles.

Claims 12-14. (Canceled without prejudice)

15. (Original) A door for at least partially covering a doorway defined by a wall and a lower surface, comprising:

a first door panel adapted to laterally translate along a plane relative to the doorway between a doorway blocking position and an unblocking position;

a first seal carried with the first door panel and having a first sealing surface that faces the first door panel; and

a second seal in sliding relationship with the first seal and having a second sealing surface facing the first sealing surface when the first door panel is in the doorway blocking position.

16.-27. (Canceled without prejudice)

28. (Original) A door for at least partially covering a doorway defined by a wall and a lower surface, comprising:

a first door panel adapted to laterally translate along a plane relative to the doorway between a doorway blocking position and an unblocking position;

a first corner seal carried with the first door panel and having a first sealing surface that faces the first door panel; and

a second corner seal in sliding relationship with the first corner seal and having a second sealing surface that creates an L-shaped pattern of contact with the first sealing surface when the first door panel is in the doorway blocking position.

29. (Original) The door of claim 28 further comprising:

a first seal including a first sealing surface interposed between a first attachment end and a first distal end with the first attachment end being attached to the first door panel; and

a second seal disposed to allow relative movement between the first seal and the second seal, the second seal including a second sealing surface interposed between a second attachment end and a second distal end, such that the first door panel in the blocking position causes the first sealing surface to face the second sealing surface

and positions the second distal end between the first distal end and at least one of the first door panel and the first attachment end.